July 18.

sch. Mary F. Curtis, Capt. Henry F. Curtis, had the same number. Sch. Diana, Capt. James McLean, had 2500 fresh mack-

This morning sed. Corona, Capt. Jerry Cook, arrived at this port with 4000 fresh mackerel and sch. Avalon, Capt. Christo-

oher Carrigan with 3500 fresh mackerel.
Sch. Priscilla Smith, Capt. William J.
Corkum, is at Newport, R. I., today with
8000 fresh mackerel, caught on the Rips.

The fare of sch. Squanto sold to the Gloucester Mackerel Co. at \$9.50 per barrel.

The fare of fresh mackerel of seh. Priscilla S:nith at Newport today are about all large, and were sold to the Newport Fish Co. at 14 cents each for large and 8 1-2 cents each for medium.

Sch. Miranda, Capt. Augustus G. IIall, arrived at this port this forenoon with 4000 fresh mackerel from the Rips.

The Boston Fish Bureau reports the catch of salt mackerel to July 17 as 15,183 barrels, against 13,862 barrels at this time last year. The catch of fresh mackerel is 38,164 barrels against 40,411 barrels at this time last year.

The imports of fresh mackerel at Boston to date are 5116 barrels against 4921 barrels at this time last year. The imports of new salt mackerel at Boston to date are 7390 barrels against 762 barrels at this time last year.

July 18.

DAILY TIMES FISH BUREAU.

Today's Arrivals and Receints.

Seh. Good Luck, via Boston, 35,000 lbs.

Sch. Belbina P. Domingoes, via Boston, 30,000 lbs. fresh fish.

Sch. Mary A. Gleason, Rips, 40,000 lbs. salt cod.

Sch. Mary F. Curtis, Rips, 2000 fresh

Seh. Grayling, Rips, 2000 fresh makerel. Seh. Diana, Rips, 2500 fresh mackerel.

Sch. Norma, via Boston. Sch. Mary B. Greer, via Boston, 400,000

lbs. fresh fish. Sch. Clara G. Silva, via Boston, 55,000 lbs. fresh fish.

Sch. Corona, Rips, 4000 fresh mackerel. Sch. Senator Saulisbury, Georges, 25,000 lbs. salt cod.

Sch. Avalon, Rips, 3500 fresh mackerel. Sch. Miranda, Rips, 4000 fresh mackerel.

Todays Fish Market.

Round pollock, 75 cts. per cwt.; gutted 80

Sait bank cod, large \$3.75, mediums, \$3. Salt Rips, cod, large, \$4.00, mediums, \$3.15: snapper \$2.

Salt Georges cod, large \$4.25, mediums, Salt bank dory handline cod, \$3.87 1-2 per

ewt. for large and \$3.25 for mediums. Grand Bank fresh cod, \$2.00 per cwt. for

arge, \$1.60 for mediums. Salt pollock, \$1.50; salt haddock, \$1.50. Bank halibut, 4 cts. per lb., right through

Cape Shore salt mackerel, \$9.50 per bbl. Fresh mackerel, 11 cts. each for large and 7 cents for mediums.

Splitting prices for fresh fish, Western cod, large, \$2; mediums, \$1.50; Cape North cod, large, \$1.90: medium, \$1.45 Peak cod large, \$1.75; medium, \$1.37 1-2; cusk, \$1.60; haddock, \$1.00; hake, 80 cts.; pollock, 75

Rips salt mackerel, \$9.50 per bbl.

Boston.

Sch. Mary G. Greer, 10,000 haddock, 30,-

Sch. Clara G. Silva, 10,000 haddock, 50,-

Sch. Margaret Dillon, 7000 haddock, 9000 Sch. Emilia Enos, 3000 haddock, 14,000

Sch. Annie Perry, 5000 haddock, 19,000

eod, 6000 pollock. Sch. Philip P. Manta. Sch. Thomas J. Carroll, 8000 fresh mack-

erel. Seh. Emerald, 2000 fresh mackerel.

Sch. Victor, 7000 fresh mackerel. Sch. Arthur James, 13,000 fresh mackerel

Sch. Robert C. Harris, 40 swordfish. Sch. Albert Willard, 130 swordfish.

Sch. Lillian, 65 swordfish. Large fresh mackerel, 13 cts. each; medl-

um fresh mackerel, 8 cts. each; swordfish, 7 ets. per lb.

July 20.

Good Halibut Trip.

Sch. Tacoma, Capt. Adelbert Nickerson, arrived yesterday from Bacalieu bank with a good fare, 60,000 pounds of halibut.

July 20.

EIGHT AT BOSTON.

Seiners Running to Market with Small Mackerel Trips.

Sch. Oriole Landed Small Fresh Fare at Provincetown.

The following seiners are at Boston this morning, from the Rips, with fares of fresh mackerel, the fish selling at 15 cents each for large and 10 cents each for mediums.

Sch. Indiana, Capt. Almon D. Malloch, 10,000 fresh mackerel.

Sch. Monarch, Capt. John F. Vautier,

7000 fresh mackerel. S.h. Natalie J. Nelson, Capt. Albert Lar-

kin, 6000 fresh mackerel. Sch. Clintonia, Capt. Ralph Webber, 6000

fresh mackerel. Sch. Cynthia, Capt. Geoffery Thomas,

6000 fresh mackerel. Sch. Conqueror, Capt. Robertson Giffin, 7000 fresh mackerel.

Sch. Oriole is at Provincetown with a small fare of fresh mackerel.

Sch. Juno, Capt. Ambrose Fieet, arrived here yesterday from the Rips; with 5000 fresh mackerel, taking out at the Gloucester Fresh Fish Co.

Sch. Arabia, Capt. Gourley Anderson, is here this morning with 2500 fresh mackerel. Sch. Veda M. McKown, Capt. Norman A. Ross, was at T wharf, Boston, Saturday

with 8000 fresh mackerel. Sch. Lizzie M. Stanley, Capt. Joshua W. Stanley, is at Boston today with 5000 fresh

The little shore seiner Mary Emerson, Capt. Charles Nelson, is at Boston today with 1600 fresh mackerel.

Sch. Harmony is at Boston with her main-

July 20.

ONLY PARTIALLY INSURED.

Pool Bros. Experienced Severe Loss by Fourth of July Fire.

The fire which partially destroyed the fishery plant of Herman E. and Gardner Pool at Tacoma, Wash., July 4, was started by sparks from the city fireworks display. The property loss was quite severe and there was only a partial insurance on the large plant.

Messrs. Pool are sons of Capt. and Mrs. Samuel G. Pool of this city and moved to Tacoma a few years ago, where they established a large fishery plant.

Another Salt Banker Home.

Sch. Orinoco, Capt. William Larkin, arrived yesterday from a salt bank trip, with a good fare, 245,000 pounds of salt cod.

July 20.

Big Swordfish Fare.

Sch. Rita A. Viator of this port is at Boston this morning with a big fare of 110

July 20.

DAILY TIMES FISH BUREAU.

Today's Arrivals and Receints.

Sch. Orinoco, salt banking, 245,000 lbs. salt cod. Sch. Tacoma, Bacalieu bank, 60,000 lbs.

halibut, 3000 lbs. flitched halibut. Sch. Juno, Rips. 5000 fresh mackerel.

Sch. Arabia, Rips, 2500 fresh mackerel. Sch. Effie M. Prior, Rips, 35 bbls. salt mackerel.

Sch. Speculator, Rips. Sch. Lena and Maud, Rips.

and 7 cents for mediums.

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Round pollock, 75 cts. per cwt.; gutted 80 Salt bank cod, large \$3.75, mediums, \$3.

Salt Rips, cod, large, \$4.00, mediums, \$3.15: snapper \$2.

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Splitting prices for fresh tish, Western cod, large, \$2; mediums, \$1.50; Cape North cod, large, \$1.90: medium, \$1.45; Peak cod large, \$1.75; medium, \$1.37 1-2; cu-k, \$1.60; haddock, \$1.00; hake, 80 cts.; pollock, 75

Rips salt mackerel, \$9.50 per bbl.

Boston.

Sch. Indiana, 10,000 fresh mackerel, 6 bbls. salt mackerel.

Sch. Cynthia, 6000 fresh mackerel.

Seh. Monarch, 7000 fresh mackerel. Seh. Natalie J. Nelson, 6000 fresh macker-

Sch. Conqueror, 6000 fresh mackerel, 15

bbls. salt mackerel.

Sch. Clintonia, 6000 fresh mackerel. Sch. Rita A. Viator, 110 swordfish.

Sch. Stranger, 79 swordfish.

Sch. Esther Gray, 70 swordfish. Sch. A. C. Newhall, 50 swordfish.

Sch. Regina, 20,000 haddock, 14,000 cod, 50,000 hake.

Sch. Gladys and Sabra, 18,000 cod.

Sch. Olivia Sears, 1000 cod, 2000 pollock.

Sch. Boyd and Leeds, 21,000 cod. Sch. Mary Emerson, 1600 fresh mackerel. Sch. Lizzie M. Stanley, 5000 fresh macker-

el and 10 bbls. salt mackerel. Seh. Aleina, 1500 haddock, 2300 cod. Sch. Henrietta G. Martin, 12,000 haddock,

7000 cod, 500 hake. Sch. Teresa and Alice, 2000 haddock, 24,-

000 cod. Sch. Oliver F. Kilham, 1000 haddock, 22,000 cod.

Seh. Dorothy, 16,000 cod.

Sch. Priscilla, 62 swordfish.

Sch. Albert Geiger, 2500 haddock, 2500 cod, 3000 pollock.

Sch. Veda M. McKown, 7000 fresh mack-

Haddock, \$4 to \$5 per cwt.; large cod, \$3.50 to \$3.60; market cod, \$2.50 to \$2.60; hake, \$1.50 large fresh mackerel, 15 cts. each; medium, fresh mackerel, 10 cts. each; swordfish, 7 1-2 ets. per lb.

Fishing Fleet Movements.

Sch. Gossip was at Liverpool, N. S., on Friday.

July 21.

SAW SEA SERPENT.

Sighted by Steamer Crew in Gulf of Mexico.

A Galveston, Tex., despatch says what is believed to be a "real" sea serpent was inspected by the officers, crew and passengers of the steamship Livingstone, of the Texas-Mexican line. They have gone so far as to make a sworn affidavit. In substance it de-clares that at three bells on the evening of June 24, the Livingstone, bound from Galveston to Frontera, Mexico was having good weather, and about fifty miles north of Frontera, in the Gulf of Mexico, the serpent was sighted on the port bow.

The ship got within 60 feet of the creature, and for 15 minutes stood by while all on board viewed the serpent through the glasses. It was apparently sleeping, and was not less than 200 feet long, of about the diameter of a flour barrel in the center of the body, but was not as round. The head was about six feet long by three feet at the widest part. The color was dark brown, and near its tail were rings or circles that appeared larger in eircumference than the body at that point. As it swam away the tail was erected, and a rattling noise as loud as that made by a gat. ling gun in action startled the watchers on the Livingstone.

July 21.

BAD WEATHER ON RIPS.

Wind and Fog Has Bothered the Seiners of Late.

Only One Small Mackerel Fare at Boston Today.

Things are dull in the mackerel line tod y, there being but one arrival early this morning, sch. Terra Nova, Capt. John Hickey, at T wharf, Boston, with 4000 fresh macl erel, selling at 20 and 12 cents per pound for large and mediums.

Sch. Conqueror came to this port f om Boston last night with 14 barrels of sait mackerel.

The seiners have been having bad weather and fog on the Rips for the past few days, which probably accounts for the falling off in